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Dear Classmates,

Welcome to the Wauconda High School Class of 1969's twentieth reunion, a celebration of longevity. This is a chance to reminisce about wilder times and is a rare opportunity to renew old friendships. According to the cliche', "we are older and (should be) wiser." We probably are, but that shouldn't mean we've lost the ability to "experience the moment." That is the purpose of this weekend.

As time passes, it becomes harder to find our fellow classmates. Of the187 persons we attempted to locate, 141 were eventually found. Eighty persons did not respond to our correspondences and fortysix classmates remain "missing" even after following many leads provided by yourselves and others. It is regretful that addresses for all classmates were not obtained.

The reunion committee began their planning efforts nearly one year ago and have worked very hard to make this weekend great fun for everyone. Thank you for coming. Enjoy yourselves.

The Committee

Lynn (Krueger) Konieczka
Sue (Koelling) Niemiec
Jean (Boehmer) Wolff
Mary L. Wright

Casual Ice Breaker
Friday, August 4, 1989
Mers Restaurant
Wauconda, Illinois
8:00 - ?

Golf Outing
Saturday, August 5, 1989

Dinner-Dance
Saturday, August 5, 1989
Mundelein Holiday Inn
Routes 45 & 83
Mundelein, Illinois

Cocktails (cash bar) - 6:00
Group Photo - 6:30
Dinner - 7:00
Program - 8:30
Music - 9:00

Family Picnic
Sunday, August 6, 1989
Wauconda Park District Beach
11:00 - ?

Class of 1969
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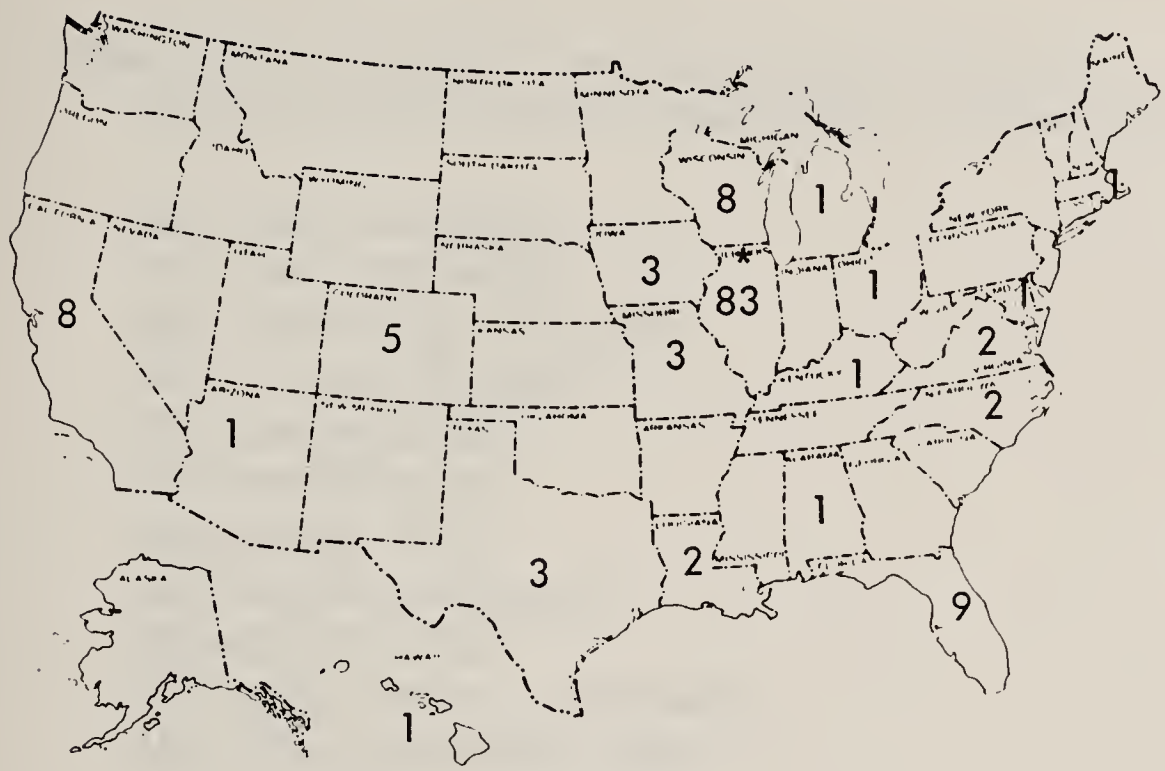
We have become scattered throught the U.S. and the world.



West Germany - 1

* <u>Classmates living in the Wauconda area:</u>

Wauconda	24
McHenry	11
Island Lake	3
Cary	3
Crystal Lake	3

Married Classmates	46
Single Classmates	12
Engaged Classmates	1
Children	90
Grandchildren	none, yet

The questionnaire asked two interesting questions. Your answers follow.

1. The teacher I remember best from high school was:
   (Notice we did not specify the teacher you liked best.)

   Mr. Thornton (Math)
   Mr. Grove (Biology)
   Mrs. Christiansen (English)
   Mrs. Cooper (English)
   Mr. Hampel (Math)
   Mr. Prez (Science)
   Miss Brady (P.E.)
   Mr. Kaphiem (Science)
   Miss Specht (P.E.)
   Mr. Haley (Science and Coach)
   Mr. Sellers (Industrial Arts)
   Mr. Kirchherr (Industrial Arts)
   Mrs. Grove (Business)
   Mr. Sarff (Math)
   Mrs. Hoover (Art)
   Mr. Mueller (Social Studies)
   Mr. Reid (Language)
   Mr. Falk (Industrial Arts and Coach)
   "all of them"
   Mr. Kotter

2. When I was in my senior year I had a crush on:

Jeanne Broughton (guess who)
Katherine Ross
Hilda (guess who)
Peter Pintozzi
Barry Manilow
"of course, Bill" (guess who)
D.P. - the cute red haired girl
Art Hoffman
Steve Lambert
Dan (guess who)
"all the cheerleaders"
"no one"
"almost everyone"
"cann't remember"
Sue Hamm
Rainer Huemen
Cindy Baseley
Betsy Weel
"no one, too shy"
"no one in particular"
Karen Finney
"I don't want to embarass her."
Gary Baldwin
"We'll leave this one alone.
Jean (guess who)
Pam Swanson
Donna Dascott
Patti Raffeto
Candee (guess who)
Norman

Awards

1. First questionnaire to arrive.	Steve Lambert
2. First graduate to arrive at reunion.	Ed. Richards
3. Most unusual occupation (male).	Steve Porter
4. Most unusual occupation (female).	Katie (Averyt) Martin
5. Most children.	Debbie (Gedeke) Kaplan Lynette (Kruegu) Koniczka
6. Most changed graduate (male).	Fred Stewart
7. Most changed graduate (female).	Carol (Kapelke) Stirsman
8. Least changed graduate (male).	Warren Potter
9. Least changed graduate (female).	Karen (Chappel) Martin
10. Least hair (male, please).	John Sternberg
Special grandmother award	Karen (Syers) Baxter

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What ever happened to. . . .

Lance Ahlgren - no response
33206 North Park Street
Wildwood, Illinois 60030

Gregg Albritton
28641 North Washington Street
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Hilda Hanes (WHS class of 1970)
Children: Jessica Joy - 13

Greg is a veteran truck driver with 18 years experience and also owns "Greg's Lake County Tech Supply" a tire repair distribution business. When there is time for leisure, he enjoys whitewater rafting, swimming, fishing (Greg must be at home in the company of water), gardening, bowling, and maintaining his home. Still holding firm to his outlook on life, Greg felt that "working and having a good time" was important to him at age 18 and still believes that today. If he could do it all over again, he would "take school work a bit more serious." Yet, reflecting back on his high school years, Greg can vividly recall all his teachers (good and not so good) and his romantic crush on Hilda. Summarizing the

60's: a lot of fun and good friends
70's: work, alot of fun and good friends, getting married and having a family
80's: a real lot of work, fun, good friends

Terry Alcock - no response
26654 West Karen Drive
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Dennis Anderson
2819 LaNevasca Lane
Carlsbad, California 92009

Dennis is a district manager and enjoys his leisure time by playing golf and traveling. Dennis' interesting experiences include traveling to England, Scotland, and Japan. At 18, he felt that "moving on and seeing what life had to offer" was important. Now, he feels he should "stay put and establish a sense of belonging." George Haley is the teacher Dennis remembers best. To summarize the

60's: were over before I realized what was going on
70's: interesting but not memorable
80's: greatest high and greatest low

Sharon Anderson - missing

Tessa (Arendt) Bales
8850 Quail Ridge Court
Dubuque, Iowa 52001

Spouse: Vinnie "Boom-Boom" Bales
Childres: yes

Tessa tells us she is "a nuclear physicist" while her husband works as a "male stripper at an all night bar." She spends her leisure time "studying the migration habits of the emperor penguin and mud wrestling." Tessa feels that filling out the last reunion questionnaire was an accomplishment in itself. At 18, Tessa felt that "wearing color-fast madras" was important, and now at almost 40 "looking younger and plastic surgery" are important. When thinking back about high school, Tessa remembers a "certain person getting a Mike Nelson during B lunch." She best remembers the "high school teacher, Mr. Kotter." And if Tessa could do it all over again, she says that she would probably "transfer high schools." (Do you think Tessa has been in Iowa too long?) Tessa requested that there be no more reunions. To summarize the

60's: And its 1-2-3 what are we fighting for?
70's: Lets disco.
80's: Is there really life after disco?

Jim Arquilla - no response
1112 Washington Avenue
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Katie (Averyt) Martin
6535 Northwind Drive
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80918

Spouse: Chuck
Children: none

Katie is a "trail blazer." The U.S. Air Force accepted her as their first female recruit and she was the first woman in her squadron consisting of 2000 men. For five years in Alaska while the oil pipeline was being built, Katie provided air rescue services. 1982 was a landmark year in that she graduated from the University of Arkansas and was commissioned in the Air Force. In 1986 Katie achieved her current rank of Captain. Today her expertise is in space command; missle and space warning systems (sounds important). Katie and her husband Chuck, who is retired from the Air Force, were married in 1971. Crafts, writing, whitewater rafting, and swimming serve as relaxation for Katie. At 18 years of age "a job and money" were important, but now "family" is really what's important. The " forbidden Christmas Party in the girls' locker room" stands out in Katie's fond memories of our high school days and she remembers Mr. Thornton best. If she could do it again she would be more"assertive." In summary,

60's: growing up, school, Vietnam
70's: Air Force, working, Alaska, marriage
80's: college, working, commissioning, Texas

Pam Bacon
30125 North Darrell Road
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Pam is currently employed as a sales coordinator. She spends her leisure time "playing sports and helping on the family farm." Pam is especially proud of receiving her Bachelor of Science Degree from Northern Illinois University.

Kendra (Barber) Mott - missing

Steve Barth - no response
5213 Wellington
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Rabon Bates - questionnaire sent to brother, no response

Linda Bee - missing

Linda Belant - questionnaire sent to father, no response

Vicki Belcher - missing

Vicki Bilatti - missing

Dan Bintz
12567 West Cedar Drive #100
Lakewood, Colorado 80228

Spouse: Janice
Children: Jessica - 12, Barbara - 11, Reese - 7, Audra - 5

Dan is a raise drill manager, while his wife Janice is kept busy as a homemaker. He spends his leisure time horseback riding, fishing, fixing up their mini ranch and with the kids. Under interesting experiences or accomplishments, Dan lists "starting mining in Arizona in 1973, and then becoming a contract miner traveling on jobs throughout the U.S. including Alaska, also in Canada, Mexico, and South America." At 18, Dan felt that "making money and partying" was important and now "work and family" are important. When he talks about high school the story he likes to tell is "getting caught ditching school." Dan best remembers Mr. Mueller from high school, and if he could do it all over again, Dan would "be a jock."
He summarizes the

60's: distressing and disorienting
70's: adventure seeking
80's: getting down to business

Cliff Blanton - no response
General Delivery
Eolia, Kentucky 40826

Kevin Blume - missing

Jean (Boehmer) Wolff
235 Helena Drive
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Dan
Children: none (they call "rent a kid" when the occasion calls for it)

Jean is a Registered Dental Hygienist and teaches at Northwestern University Dental School in the Dental Hygiene Division. Some of the most satisfying accomplishments has been earning her B.S. Degree in Dental Hygiene in 1984 followed by three years of part-time classes resulting in a Masters Degree in Education from Northwestern. She has applied for a promotion to Clinical Assistant Professor and is waiting for the official notice. Putting further education "on hold" for awhile, Jean now has some leisure time in which she enjoys motorcycle traveling with Dan, running, reading, and sewing. At 18 years of age "Dan and marriage" were important to her. Now "a mutually satisfying relationship, family, and a career" are important. Jean tells the story of NOT ditching school on Senior Ditch Day and being ridiculed by Mr. Sarff for being in school. Mr. Thornton gets her vote for the most memorable teacher. If she could repeat high school, Jean would truely learn to read music. She said she "faked it." Jean summarizes the

60's: love and burning desire, school
70's: marriage, work, travel
80's: professional growth, feeling my mortality,(trying to get used to being called Mrs. Wolff by my students)

Don Boesenberg - missing

Kendra Braun - missing

Dave Brill
109 North Vernon Drive
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Spouse: Peggy Adams
Children: Charlie - 3

Dave is a glazer making stained glass windows. His wife is a homemaker. Dave spends his leisure time around his home remodeling, landscaping, and gardening.

Donna Brill - no response
Route 45, Box 236
Mundelein, Illinois 60060

John Broughton - no response
Route 1, Box 337A
West Salem, Wisconsin 54669

Bob Brown - no response
333 Brown Street
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Babette Burgess - no response
c/o Darell Benfield
2116 Ilex Avenue
SanDiego, California 92154

Terry Burke - no response
110 South Barrington Road
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

John Burton - no response
14194 Coon Hollow
Three Rivers, Michigan 49093

Gary Calhoun
Box 306
Thomasboro, Illinois 61878

Children: Brian - 7, Amy - 5

Gary is employed as a manager; general accounting and business plans. He spends his leisure time playing sports and socializing. Gary has summed up the past 20 years for us as follows; "college (all of two days), work, unemployment, drafted, work, college, married, had kids, divorced, living together, work." At 18 Gary felt that "getting rid of pimples" was important and now it seems important to "get rid of wrinkles." Gary likes to tell the high school story about the Varsity B-ball cheerleading team making a pyramid during a game Also, he remembers being penalized because they did not stand up during a pep rally, resulting in the cheerleaders being sent to the wrestling meet. Mrs. Christiansen was Gary's favorite teacher. If he could do it over, Gary "would have been more extroverted, and dated more girls." In summary, the

60's: Beatles, music, Vietnam
70's: U.S. Army, college, marriage
80's: career, kids, good friends

Cathy (Cassata) Sanez
26632 North Main Street
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Children: Catherine Nicole - 14

Cathy is employed as a credit analyst and spends her leisure time reading, gardening, and watching movies. At almost 40, she feels that "family" is what's really important. Cathy remembers Mr. Thornton best from high school.

Christine (Casten) Rowe
26153 Geraldine Lane
Barrington, Illinois 60010

Spouse: Glen
Children: Michael - 18, Emily - 14, Rachel - 13

Chris and Glen are very busy owning and operating two video stores, an autobody repair shop in Chicago, and an automobile glass company. Three teenagers in the household keeps Chris hopping but the Rowe family has found time to see "America's Wonders." Traveling has taken them to Niagra Falls, the Statue of Liberty, Mount Rushmore, Washington D.C., St. Louis, and Acapulco. At 18 years, Chris felt "going for it" was important but now she feels "enjoying life" is what's really important. (Sounds like Chris hasn't changed her upbeat outlook on life over the years.) Mr. Thornton gets Chris' vote as most memorable teacher and if she had an opportunity to relive her high school years she would do "many things" differently, but she did not elaborate.

Alice (Castle) Hidaka - missing

Rick Celestine - no response
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Coral Springs, Florida 33065

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Karen (Chappel) Miller
206 Leckford Way
Cary, North Carolina 27513

Spouse: Jerry
Children: Jason - 8, Kaitlyn - 4

Karen serves as educational consultant for Discovery Toys and is a Registered Nurse while Jerry is a marketing manager for an agricultural chemical company. Karen indicates that during leisure time she likes to do needlework and read but spends alot of time transporting Jason and Kaitlyn here and there to various activities. Since graduation from WHS, Karen has earned a B.S. degree from Michigan State University (1973) and a B.S. degree in nursing from University of Toledo (1980). Earlier this year (1989) she traveled to Jamaica with a mission work team as a volunteer (sounds very rewarding). At 18 years of age, Karen felt "achieving success" was important and today "health and family" top her priority list. Mr. Grove (Dudley) left an impression in Karen's high school memory bank. If given a second chance, Karen would "take more chances and try to see the opportunities around me." (easy to say now) In summary:

60's: a time of youth and innocence
70's: a happy, busy time - school and early marriage
80's: a time of tremendous personal growth

Andrew Chirchirillo
73999 Bedford
St. Louis, Missouri 63130

Spouse: Jill
Children: Alex - 3, David - 1

Andy earned his PhD in Clinical Psychology at the University of Missouri in St. Louis in January 1980 and is currently working as a clinical psychologist. His wife Jill is a clinical social worker. He spends his leisure time biking, playing with the kids, films, and karate. In September 1988, Andy received his black belt in Chinese Kenpo karate. At 18 it was important to Andy to "help others stand on their own." Now he feels that "keeping my body from falling apart" is what's really important. The teacher he remembers best is Mrs. Cooper. Andy summarizes the

60's: full of ideals and possibilities
70's: getting to know reality
80's: still getting to know reality

Debbie (Christ) Stephens
14323 East Williams Field Road
Gilbert, Arizona 85234

Spouse: Ron
Children: Chad - 18

Debbie is an endorsement underwriter and her husband, Ron is a manager, They spend their leisure time boating, camping, hiking, snow skiing, and swimming.

Mary (Clifford) Gilbert - no response
8004 Shore Drive
Machesney Park, Illinois 61111

Barbara (Cone) Meharry
5111 Noss Road
Beloit, Wisconsin 53511

Spouse: engaged to Doug Kaiser
Children: Kimberly - 17

Barb has been the Chief Deputy for a judge at the Rock County Courthouse for the past 10 years. Although she doesn't have much leisure time, Barb enjoys traveling to Las Vegas. She also enjoys hot air ballooning and seeing the world from above the tree tops. Barb felt that "being on my own" at age 18 was important, but now her "family and friends" are what's really important. When she talks about high school, Barb likes to tell "about the time we flooded Miss Brady's office." The teacher she best remembers is Mr. Hampel. If Barb could do it all over again, she would "do it the same." She says she "enjoyed her high school years." Summarizing the

60's: not a care in the world but graduating
70's: responsibilites - job, rent, etc.
80's: buying a home on 6 acres

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Ken Cook
519 Nancy Court
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Maggie Radcliff (WHS class of 1970)
Children: Bryson - 16

Ken is the owner of a trucking company and is involved in sports during his leisure time. His wife works at Victor Ford. His experiences and accomplishments include "traveling all over the Rockies, owning his own business for the last ten years, being elected to the Park District for eight years, and serving as a volunteer fireman for ten years." Ken felt that "just earning a living" at 18 was important. Now he feels that "seeing the rest of the world" is what counts. When he talks about high school, he likes to tell stories about Jim Painter. Ken's favorite teacher was Mrs. Christiansen. If he could do it over, Ken would "try to learn something." He summarizes the

60's: had alot of fun
70's: tough times
80's: time to slow down and enjoy life

Tom Crocker
104 48th Street West
Bradenton, Florida 34209

Spouse: Karen
Children: Jeff - 15, Christina - 13, Sherry - 11

Tom is in auto repair and Karen is head office cashier in Bradenton. It's no surprize that Tom's hobby is restoring old cars. Their family occupies a majority of their life leaving little time for many outside activities. Tom's most memorable experience from the high school years is "When a hammer fell on my head in auto shop."

Keith Crow - no response
10 South Butrick
Waukegan, Illinois 60085

Donna (Dascott) Heinlen - missing

Denise (Daun) Rigginger
230 South Hillwick Lane
Schaumburg, Illinois 60193

Spouse: John
Children: none

Denise is the president of Corporate Artworks, and her husband is in sales. She enjoys traveling and exercising. Her accomplishments include being the second woman in Illinois to become a licensed balloon pilot and starting her own company in 1988 which now employes 8 people. At 18 Denise felt that "freedom" was important, and at almost 40 she feels that "health and happiness" are what count. She best remembers Miss Brady. If she could do it over, she would have "studied harder in high school and gone to college." Denise summarizes the

60's: awkward
70's: exciting, adventurous, unforgettable
80's: challenging, rewarding

Darryl Deyne - missing

Nancy (Dianis) Hanna - no response
8128 Tamar Drive
Columbia, Maryland 21045

Linda (Dole) Karrels - no response
218 Route 45
Indian Creek, Illinois 60060

Jim Dunnigan - no response
2032 14th Street #8
Santa Monica, California 90405

Dolores (Durante) Fremter - no response
13792 U.S. Hwy 80 #7
El Calijon, California 92021

Ed Eberly - missing

Connie Erickson - missing

Judy Faurie
1810 North Garrett #106
Dallas, Texas 75206

Judy says that after leaving high school, she ended up in the profession of accounting for sheer survival. Twenty years later she had a well-paying job and owned a beautiful home, only to give it up to do what she wanted to do. That was to become a massage therapist, and she loves it. In her spare time Judy likes reading and horseback riding. At 18 she felt that "getting out of Wauconda" was important, and now she feels that "being content in what one does" is important. The teachers she remembers best from high school are Mrs. Grove and Miss Brady. If she could do it over, Judy would have "studied harder in order to be accepted by a university." In summary

60's: father was dying; our home was sad
70's: wanting to be free of Wauconda and the entrapment of marriage
80's: becoming assistant vice president of finance and making a career change

Karen (Fehlman) Price
119 South Maple Street
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Bill
Children: Cathy - 18, Bill, Jr. - 16, Nathan - 10

Karen is employed as a delicatessen manager and enjoys boating and fishing with her family. Karen attempts to spend as much leisure time with friends and family as possible. At age 18 Karen felt "her independence" was the most important thing in her life but now readily admits that her priorities have changed to her "husband and family." If Karen could relive those wonderous high school days she says that she would not change a thing.

Dan Ferguson - no response
P.O. Box 215
Island Lake, Illinois 60042

Deanette Ford - missing

Kathy (Fowles) Martinucci
P.O. Box 518
Kremling, Colorado 80459

Spouse: Al
Children: none

Kathy owns and operates an insurance agency while her husband Al is in the construction business. After they married in 1974 Al and Kathy moved to an island off the coast of Alaska and commercially fished for a living. Since 1979 they have lived at an elevation of 8,000 feet in the mountains of Colorado. Kathy lives 30 minutes from major ski areas so spends alot of time on the slopes in the winter. They built their own home and started the insurance business in 1982. At 18 years old Kathy thought "rock music" was really important to her; now "living life to its fullest" is what really counts. A high school story that Kathy likes to remember is playing soccer with "bird legs Brady" yet Mrs. Christiansen gets her vote as most memorable teacher. If she could do it all over again she would "go to Prom stag." She summarizes the

60's: music and wild carefree times
70's: I dropped out and lived in Alaska with nature
80's: establishing ourselves in Colorado

Gerry Freitag - no response
P.O. Box 8944
Madeira Beach, Florida 33708

Donna Freund - questionnaire sent to brother, no response

Tom Geary - no response
P.O. Box 11021
Lahaina, Maui
Hawaii 96761

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Debbie (Geweke) Kaplan
312 Bell Drive
Cary, Illinois 60013

Spouse: Bruce
Children: Brian - 11, Kevin - 8, Amy - 5, Jacob - 1

As occupation, Debbie lists mother, while her husband is a real estate broker. Debbie likes to spend what leisure time she has reading and playing golf. She enjoys being a mother and feels that parenting her children (their greatest resource) is a very valuable and satisfying life. The Kaplans have traveled quite a bit over the years, embarked on some interesting business encounters, and gone through plenty of schooling. Debbie's most memorable achievements over the years have been birthing her children at home, home schooling the children, and Bruce's personal business adventures. At 18 Debbie felt that "a college education" was important and now she feels that "life and learning in the real world" is really what's important. She best remembers Miss Specht and Mrs. Cooper from high school. If Debbie could do it all over again, she would "have pursued a higher level of achievement in sports." She summarizes the

60's: life was simple and exciting
70's: anything in life is possible
80's: reality has set in: life is good and a big responsibility

Leta Gifford - missing

Sandy Gilberto - missing

Cheryl (Grabow) Saber - missing

Greg Grams
27640 West Route 120
Volo, Illinois 60073

Spouse: Myra
Children: Jay - 18, Brian - 13

Greg currently owns Volo Auto Museum and Old Volo, while Myra is owner of the Old Volo Gift Shop. Their lives are currently intertwined with family, the operation of very successful businesses, and CARS. At age 18 Greg felt that the two most important things in his life were "reproduction and fast cars." Reflecting as he approaches 40, Greg has fulfilled his youthful dream of "reproducing fast cars." (Something is wrong here. Myra?) Currently he boasts one of the finest museums of antique automobiles. Greg admits his most memorable experience of high school was when he ditched school and went driving around Lake Geneva.

Harry Grantham
28307 North Main
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Sandra
Children: Brett - 2, Natalie - 1

Harry has carried on the family tradition of owning and operating Grantham Excavating Company. His wife, Sandra works side by side with Harry driving truck to and from excavation sites. (A little bird reports that the little Granthams are learning the family business very early by riding along with mom and pop on occasion.) Harry and his family like to spend their leisure time vacationing in Mexico. At 18 years of age, Harry thought "defending the country" was important, but recently "his family" has taken over that position. Harry considers Mr. Kirchherr, the wood shop teacher, his most memorable teacher but he wants to make it clear that he was definitely NOT his favorite. (There must be a story behind that one!) If he could do it all over again, Harry "would have quit sooner."

Ann (Graunke) Deja - no response
P.O. Box 40
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Lenny Hackl - no response
342 Bangs Street
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Sue (Hamm) Kreckman - no response
903 West Wright Avenue
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Art Hegji - missing

Donna (Hehr) Walsh - no response
6101 Hillview Court
Manassas, Virginia 22110

Linda (Heimerl) Coco - missing

John Higgins
4330 3rd Avenue N.W.
Naples, Florida 33940

Spouse: Rhonda
Children: Allison - 5, Katie - 4

John works as a blueprinter and his wife is a homemaker. He spends his leisure time boating and playing golf. At 18 John felt that "getting out of school" was important, and now "retirement" is what counts. When talking about high school, John likes to tell about "being arrested on senior ditch day." John prefers to "change nothing" about his high school days. He summarizes the

60's: school
70's: business
80's: family

Jim Hilbert - missing

Dean Hoeft - missing

Major Norman Hoerer
5441 Lomax Way
Woodbridge, Virginia 22193

Spouse: Terri
Children: Tanya - 14, Christopher - 11, John - 8

Norm is still in the Army. (They're going to keep him until he gets it right.) Norm couldn't believe we asked the question about grandchildren. Yes, it is possible! Currently Norm is working at the Defense Intelligence Agency in Washington., but previously has traveled extensively around the world on military assignments. He has served with the armored cavalry in Germany and Texas and studied Russian in California, Moscow, and Garmisch, West Germany. Norm has taught Russian at West Point Norm and Terri, who is a Registered Nurse and homemaker, are extremely busy raising their 3 children. When there is time for play, Norm enjoys cycling, sports cars, youth hockey, travel, drinking beer, and playing softball. "Surviving West Point" was important to Norm when he was 18 years old but today Norm's family is really what's important. Reminiscing about WHS always brings to mind developing the pit viper cult, celebrating Millard Fillmore Day, wrestling, and track stories. Two teachers remain distinctive for Norm, Mrs. Cooper and Mr. Kapheim; "because they wanted me to fail." If he could do it all over again he wouldn't change a thing (That good, huh Norm?) Norm summarizes the

60's: great music, growing up
70's: hard work in the cavalry
80's: raising a family, studying Russian and the Russians

Art Hoffman
3137 Sunny Meadows Lane
Birmingham, Alabama 35243

Spouse: Christine
Children: Claire - 9, Carolyn - 6

Art is employed as an account executive and his wife Christine is a teacher.

Kelly Horton - missing

John Howard - no response
223 Lewis Avenue
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Pearl Hulsey - missing

Dave Johnson - no response
5446 Pinetop Circle
Raleigh, North Carolina 27612

Mike Joyner
222 East Wood Avenue
Barrington, Illinois 60010

Spouse: Brenda
Children: Wendy - 14, Troy - 11, Randy - 7

Mike drives truck and Brenda is employed as a mail carrier. Though their careers overlap a bit, it does not prevent them from enjoying fishing and boating with their family in their spare time. At age 18 it was very important to Mike that he not be involved in "rice paddy exploration" in southeast Asia. Now older, Mike feels that his family is the most important thing to him. One of Mike's fondest memories of high school was when Bob Witt decided to play demolition expert in the men's toilet. When pressed to tell what he would do differently if he could turn the clock back, Mike responded that he would "by-pass love and marry MONEY."

Bob Kamerlander
6114 Cedar Pine Drive
Orlando, Florida 32819

Spouse: Roberta
Children: Cristen - 10, Michael - 4

Bob is working for the Disney Development Company as Assistant Project Manager in the area of construction. He spends his leisure time doing outdoor activities. At almost 40 Bob feels that his "family" is what's really important. Mr. Prez is the teacher Bob remembers best, and if he could do high school all over again, Bob says that he sure would. "It was fun." In summary

60's: school
70's: graduation from college, career
80's: family

Kris (Kampendahl) Lawhorn - no response
818 Sunrise Circle
Muscatine, Iowa 52761

Carol (Kapelke) Stirsman
3419 Eastway
Island Lake, Illinois 60042

Spouse: Larry
Children: Scott - 9, Dawn - 21

Carol spends her work days performing secretarial services such as issuing payroll and word processing. Larry, her husband, is a foreman for a construction company. Traveling, attending concerts and movies, bowling, rollerskating, and swimming with her son are enjoyable leisure time activities for Carol. When she talks about high school, Carol likes to describe the trip she took with the ski club to Breckenridge, Colorado. Miss Brady and Mr. Thornton get her vote for most memorable high school teachers and if she had a second chance at those years, Carol would have been more outgoing and probably gone to college (its never too late, Carol).

60's: great fun at school, music, and extra-curricular activities
70's: lots of my friends getting married and having children
80's: good vacations, fun with my son and husband, and a good job

Craig Kisselburg - no response
108 Hubbard Court
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Bob Klepper
10939 Westmore Lane
San Diego, California 92126

Spouse: Laurie
Children: Michael - 7

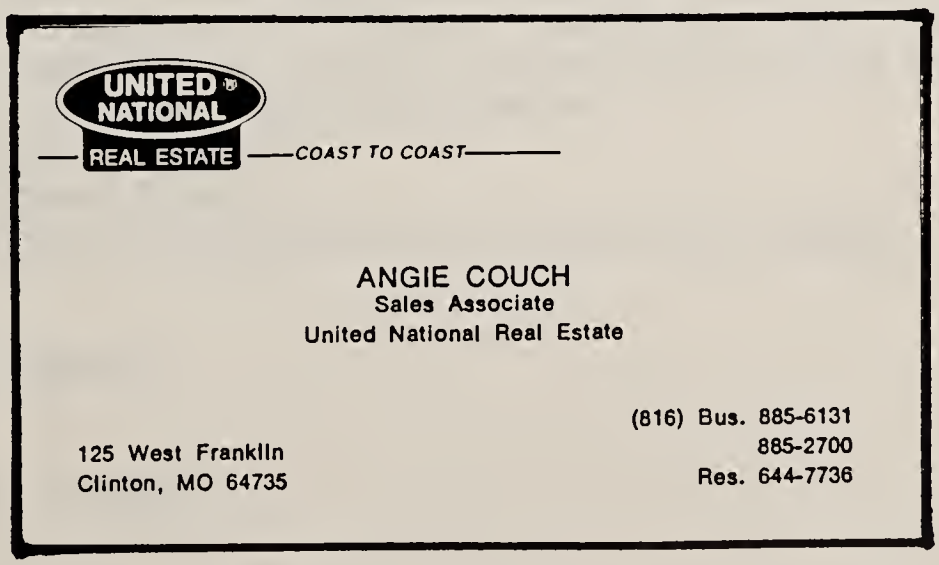
Bob is a senior research associate and his wife is a chemical dependency rehabilitation counselor. For leisure, Bob "mostly likes playing with his son" but also finds time to coach softball, baseball, and soccer as well as playing on two softball teams. Bob was stationed in Europe for two years while in the Army. He completed his B.S. in Microbiology at San Diego State University then spent 5 years at the Salk Institute Neuroendocrinology Laboratory. Bob's work focused on isolation, purification, and characterization of peptides. Later he focused on industrial research developing diagnostic tests for disease states in human beings. Presently, Bob indicates that he is "aiding a local bank to remain solvent by buying his own little cast.le." At 18 years "Karen (Finney) and sports" were important to him but now Laurie, work, and sports are really what's important. Bob will never forget "going to the 10 year reunion." His most memorable teacher was Coach Falk. If he could do it all over aqgain he would "not eat so much after weigh-in and de-emphasize peer acceptance." In summary,

60's: maturing but awkward
70's: education through college as well as through the university of life
80's: career, family, responsibility, bills, bills, bills

Kerry Klepper
6921 SW 178th Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33331

Kerry is currently a truck operator in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. He has followed a career that brought him into his own trucking business. If he could return to those glorious 60's again Kerry assures us that he would pay more attention to his studies in the hopes he could improve even more upon his future.

Donna (Knigge) Schult - no response
146 Broadway
Libertyville, Illinois 60048



Darlene (Knoblock) Hart
5401 Gordon Court
Orange Park, Florida 32065

Spouse: Larry
Children: Christy - 12, Denise - 10, Mandy - 9

Darlene spends the majority of her time creating a happy home for her family, but still finds time to volunteer in her local church, girl scouts, and hospital auxiliary (she emphasizes there is nothing leisurly about it). Her husband Larry is a supervisor for Vistakon, Inc. a Johnson and Johnson Company. After living all her life in northern Illinois, she moved to Florida and "loves it." "No more shoveling, no more dead batteries, no more mittens, and boots. Just lots of sunshine and watching the kids enjoy the backyard pool." What a life! During her teenage years, her friends were important to her. Now God and family head the list. To Darlene, high school was alot of fun and life was simple, yet she acknowledges "it didn't seem simple at the time." Mr. Hampel is her most memorable teacher and if given a second chance, she "wouldn't change a thing."

60's: getting my driver's license, graduation and entering the "real world"
70's: getting married, mortgage payments, and having children
80's: changing diapers, moving south, and enjoying my family

Donald Kock - missing

Sue (Koelling) Niemiec
934 Merrimac Street
Cary, Illinois 60013

Spouse: Dave
Children: David - 9, Joey - 7

Sue is a Registered Nurse and household coordinator. Dave drives a truck. Though her day-to-day family activities leave little time for leisure, Sue volunteers many hours at her church and their sons' school. Many times Sue feels she should apply for a chauffeur's license since she spends many hours doing just that. The Niemiecs spend summer weekends camping whenever possible. She also enjoys reading Danielle Steele books and doing crafts. As a young teenager, Sue felt "making it on my own" was important. Now her "family's health, safety, and happiness" are important. Sue's favorite teachers were Miss Specht and Mr. Grove. If she could do it all over again, she would "like to have known then the things that she knows now!" She summarizes the

60's: pleasing my parents
70's: pleasing myself
80's: trying to remember who needs to be where at what time

Steve Kois - missing

Michael Koss - missing

Jim Krogstad - missing

Lynette(Krueger) Konieczka
161 South Route 12
Fox Lake, Illinois 60020

Spouse: Dean
Children: Jennifer - 17, Michael - 11, Megan - 9, Johnathan - 7

Lynette, obviously has her hands full raising four kids. She also lists as occupation "farmer's daughter" because Lynn continues to be active in running the family produce stand in Volo. Dean's sales position requires him to travel extensively, but often takes Lynn and the kids along. In fact in 1986 Lynette and Dean went to "gorgeous" Hawaii (10 years ahead of schedule). Lynn enjoys bowling, reading, and helping in her sister-in-law's business which brings her back to Wauconda often. Family has always been a high priority to Lynn; it was important to her at age 18 and still is important today. Thoughts of high school years bring thoughts of a favorite teacher, Mrs. Christiansen and behind-the-wheel driver training. During high school in her next life, Lynn will be more herself and less of a group follower. In summary,

60's: boys, dating, independence
70's: babies
80's: living with a teen, travel, doing my best with three more kids until they get through the teens.

Rich Kubina - missing

Jeff Kuester
929 Sunnyside Avenue
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Debra
Children: Natalie - 11, Kiera - 7

Jeff is the Public Works Director for the Village of Wauconda and his wife is in video productions. He spends his leisure time hunting and fishing. At 18 Jeff felt that "having a good time" was important, and now he feels that "family, work, and relaxing" are important. Jeff remembers Mr. Kapheim best from high school. If he could do it all over again Jeff would "go to college." In summary,

60's: cars
70's: women and drinking
80's: family

Willard Kutsch - no response
2617 Forest Wood
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Dee (Kyger) Lindley
403 Willow Street
Vidalia, Louisiana 71373

Spouse: Jim
Children: Bryan - 13

Dee has served as an elementary school librarian for many years and loves every minute of it. She attends and participates in professional conferences and seminars whenever possible. She considers her election into a woman's educational sorority (Delta Kappa Gamma) a great honor. Among her many accomplishments since graduation from high school, Dee lists her 17 year marriage to the same man as a great accomplishment. For relaxation, Dee enjoys researching her family ancestry, reading, and trying new recipes. When Dee was 18 she took her education seriously and today her work and spending time with her family are rewarding to her. Since Mr. Sarff helped her pass geometry, he gets her vote as the most memorable teacher. In summary, the

60's: lots of moving and changing
70's: growing up
80's: finally learning to like myself and enjoying it

Mannie Steve Lambert
6310 Havendale
Houston, Texas 77072

Spouse: Deborah
Children: Rachel - 1

Steve spends most of his time serving as president of an interior plantscaping company and his wife Deborah serves as senior marketing and design consultant. Still a basketball lover, Steve plays twice a week, golfs, takes music lessons, and skies as much as possible (in Texas?). When asked to share interesting experiences or accomplishments since graduation, he listed the birth of his first child at "almost 40." At 18 years old "pleasure" was important. Today, "faith, integrity, and family" are important. Mrs. Christiansen and others were favorite teachers. If given a chance, Steve would "do it all over again. The class of '69 was special." Summarizing the

60's: growth by trial and error
70's: the grinding of the pieces to conform and fit
80's: the beginning of a new walk, direction, and flow

Linda Larson - missing

Dan Leonard - missing

Angie (Leovac) Couch
Route 2 Box 200
Deepwater, Missouri 64740

Spouse: Thomas
Children: none

Angie and husband Thomas are currently independent contractors, a job that takes then across five states in the middle south. After graduating from college, Angie pursued many business opportunities such as opening a restaurant in Chicago, a resort in Wisconsin, and real estate in Missouri. Angie spends her leisure time fishing, arrowhead hunting, crafts, reading, gardening, and continuing her education. At age 18 she felt that she would attend college and prepare to "change the world." However, now she looks back to those early dreams and realizes that her good health, happiness, and friends roundout her life quite adequately. If she could do it all over again, she is sure that she would dedicate herself even further to various high school activities and groups.

Scott Lincoln
97th General Hospital
Department of Nursing, Pediatric Ward
APO, New York 09757

Scott is not military personnel, but does work in a military hospital. Though he lists his occupation as a Registered Nurse, his questionnaire read more like he travels for a living. During the past five years he indicates that he has seen just about every tourist attraction in Europe having visited Istambul, Portugal, Egypt, France, Northern Ireland, and Italy just to name a few countries. His future plans include traveling through the Orient and then he "might" settle down and get married (she better love to travel). A dare devil at heart, Scott has earned his private pilot's license and has obtained a certificate for sailing and hangliding. At 18 years old, education, going to college, and earning a degree were important. Today, wealth (security) and freedom are important. Mr. Grove and his biology classes in which the hormone studies on white rats were performed come to mind when Scott thinks of WHS. If he could do it all over again he would not have worked while in high school so he could have partied and dated more. He would have gone to a larger state school and earned a degree in something that pays better and gives you more free time. Scott summarizes the

60's: landing a man on the moon, photography, sex education (in and out of class), starting college, graduation from college - twice!
70's: Vietnam/the draft, sex, drugs, and rock n roll, Peace Corp service in Paraguay
80's: turning 30, working too much, then Europe and traveling alot

Steve Loehndorf - no response
5510 Oak Grove Circle
Long Grove, Illinois 60047

Mike Longfield - no response
1 Thornfield Lane
Hawthorn Woods, Illinois 60047

Joyce (Malinowski) Barnes - no response
Wood Creek Apartments
455 West Van Buren
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80907

Nancy (Mariacher) Rogers - no response
6299 Walbrandt Road
Burlington, Wisconsin 53105

Judy (Mattaliano) Gebbia - no response
1217 South Broadway
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Laura Mattaliano - questionnaire sent to sister, no response

Terry McCracken - no response
1617 North Kildeer Drive
Round Lake Beach, Illinois 60073

Sharon McFeeley
1129 Fort Stockton
San Diego, California 92103

After high school Sharon completed a bachelor of science degree and returned to Wauconda where she taught Science for seven years. After moving to California she studied anthroposophy and the arts at Rudoff Steiner College in northern California. Currently she makes her home in southern California where she has begun a natural food catering and manufacturing business. Sharon wishes to say hello to everyone even though she cannot be here. At 18, Sharon thought "competing" was important but today she feels "serving" is really what's important. If given a chance to repeat those high school years, Sharon would have taken theater, art, music, and dance classes. As it was, her most memorable teachers were Mr. Mueller, Mrs. Cooper, Mr. Prez, Mr. Grove, and Mr. Sarff. In summary,

60's: asleep at the wheel
70's: waking-up
80's: the lights are on and somebody's home

Candy (McNally) Vasey - no response
4509 Sierra Morena
Carlsbad, California 92008

Claudette (Medford) Bacon
W11674 Duffy Road
Columbus, Wisconsin 53925

Spouse: Timothy
Children: Ed - 13, Amanda - 10

Claudette is a part-time farmwife and part-time data entry clerk. When asked how she spends her leisure time she replied "What leisure time???" Her husband Tim is a dairy farmer. They would like to travel more, but that is almost impossible with an entire family of "four legged children" that you must care for 365 days a year (But that's dairy farming !). At age 18 Claudette did not have her life quite mapped out yet, but as that magic number (40 !!!) approaches, she feels that her family, health and job security are really important. She also comments, "A little money wouldn't hurt either." (Claudette, you'd better make sure that those Indians do alot of RAIN DANCES this year !)

Judy Meyer - missing

Lynn (Miara) Tuggerson
231 South White
New Orleans, Louisiana 70150

Spouse: Frankie
Children: Patrick - 16

Lynn was the first woman banquet captain at the New Orleans Marriott and has held that position for 15 years. During leisure time she enjoys producing crafts. Frankie, her husband is an automotive mechanic. At age 18 Lynn believed in having a good time but today her family takes high priority. Mr. Thornton gets her vote as most memorable teacher.

Pat Miceli - no response
538 South Quentin Road, #3
Palatine, Illinois 60067

Donald Musa - missing

Gail (Nape) Kramer - no response
204 Fairway Lane
Carpentersville, Illinois 60110

Ricky Nave - no response
424 North Main Street
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Pat (Nelson) Nyderik - missing

Calvin Nielsen - no response
321 Brown Street
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Bob Oaks - no response
220 Lewis Avenue
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Rick Ogle - missing

Bill Peck - no response
1508 Oak Street
St. Charles, Illinois 60174

Lynn (Pesz) Marlowe
P.O. Box 503
401 North Forest
Island Lake, Illinois 60042

Spouse: John
Children: Jessica - 15, James - 13, John - 11

Lynn has many jobs including being a secretary, bookkeeper, program assistant, CNA, and part owner of a nursing home. John restores cars and is a musician. Lynn spends her leisure time taking college courses, at the beach, reading, playing video games, metaphysical study, and doing family things. Lynn's interesting experiences and accomplishments include "teaching CCD at Transfiguration for over six years, earning an Associate Degree in A.S., being part owner of a nursing home, being secretary of the Island Lake Chamber of Commerce for three years, and her Mexican vacation in Cancun this year." Lynn felt at 18 "partying and education" were important but now she feels that "compassion and knowledge" are important. Mr. Hampel is the teacher Lynn best remembers from high school. If she could do it over again, Lynn would have "completed further education before marriage and children." She summarizes the

60's: grade and high school, first jobs
70's: college, marriage, children, building a family life
80's: career, raising children, building businesses

Laurie (Peterson) Remke - no response
Route 1, Box 11
Algonquin, Illinois 60102

Mel Pflug - no response
231 Junior Avenue
Grayslake, Illinois 60030

John Phelps - missing

Kathy (Phillips) Newmann - no response
375 Willow Road
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Camille (Piccolo) Summers - no response
1327 May Street
Crystal Lake, Illinois 60014

Steve Piccolo
4005 Johnson
Crystal Lake, Illinois 60042

Steve doesn't say much about his current status in life, but he will fill us in at the reunion.

Peter Pintozzi - no response
3406 Oakwood Drive
Island Lake, Illinois 60042

Jim Populorum - no response
P.O. Box 66
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Steve Porter
282 Glenwood
Marseilles, Illinois 61341

Spouse: Mary
Children: Erin - 13, Melissa - 8, Sean - 4

The Porters' lives seem to revolve around their very active but "terrific" kids. They all go camping and fishing as often as possible. Steve is an office manager for a mechanical contractor while Mary is a homemaker full-time and a nursing assistant part-time. Steve has 15 years experience as an office manager for a nuclear station, has traveled extensively throughout the U.S., completed seven 26 mile marathons, and enjoys biking and playing golf. He feels it is an accomplishment simply to have survived until the 20th reunion. Back then, Steve believed "causes and world peace" were important, but today feels "home peace and family" are what's really important. In reminiscing about those glory days, Steve describes the time Camille Piccolo turned around and really smacked him with a forearm to the head. Afterwards the teacher commended him for his restraint in retaliation. Steve said "Hell, I was still buzzing from the blow and lucky to be standing." (What was the reason for this outburst, Steve?) Mrs. Grove gets his vote for most memorable teacher, but Steve would not care to repeat those years. He summarizes the

60's: rebellion, parties, fun, but mixed up with no "real" plans
70's: transition
80's: family, planning for the future, enjoying the present ,and just being myself

Mark Postl
209 Hilltop Road
RR 1, Box 191
Swisher, Iowa 52338

Spouse: Barbara
Children: Kent - 16, Kirk - 13

Over the years, Mark has been successful (won a trip to Hawaii) as sales manager of two large retailers; Tandy Corporation and Audio Affiliates. He remains dedicated to music having traveled with a show band. Mark enjoys cars, working on his new home, and computing. His hobby spills over into his work hours also (or is it visa-versa) since he also is a computer consultant. Barbara, Mark's wife is a nurse and homemaker busy with two active teenage boys. In high school, Mark remembers Mr. Prez most vividly. Back then, his music, cars, and girls were important to him, while today family is a top priority. If he could do it all over again he would stay in school and get his degree!! In summary,

60's: the war, rock music
70's: meeting and marrying my wonderful wife and raising our two kids
80's: the bill$, the bill$, the bill$

Warren Potter
208 South Main Street Apt. 1
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Sue Putterlik - missing

Kathy (Ramel) Raffetto
Route 3, Box 107
Stanley, Wisconsin 54768

Spouse: Bill
Children: Lisa - 18, Pam - 16, Louie - 13

Kathy and Bill moved to Wisconsin in 1982 where they own and operate a dairy farm. When asked to share any interesting experiences or accomplishments since high school Kathy said "our three wonderful kids!!" She loves to create all kinds of crafts, especially cross stitch and quilting. At 18 years of age Bill was important to Kathy and he still is today. She summarizes the

60's: carefree school days and falling in love
70's: having my kids
80's: moving to Wisconsin to farm

Enid (Randall) Grimm
8107 Raglan N.E. Apt. 5
Warren, Ohio 44484

Children: Lisa Renee - 18

Enid is a financial coordinator and enjoys reading and doing crafts in her spare time. At 18 years of age, Enid thought "turning 21 years old" was important. Today "being happy" is important. Mr. Grove gets her vote as most memorable teacher and if she could do it over again she "would have studied harder."

Kenneth Regner
25021 Crabtree Lane
Ingleside, Illinois 60041

Spouse: Diane
Children: none

Ken's wife Diane is a typesetter. Ken enjoys playing softball, golfing, traveling, gardening, bowling, and entertaining friends. He feels that going to college was an accomplishment for him. At 18, he felt that "girls, money, and cars" were important, and now importance lies in "health, his wife, and good friends." When Ken talks about high school, the story he likes to tell is about his "full-page picture in the Annual." His best remembered teacher is Mr. Haley and if he could do it all over again, Ken would "not change anything." In summary the

60's: good years
70's: better years
80's: best years

Renee (Rhenborg) Krohn - no response
500 South Everett
Crystal Lake, Illinois 60014

Ed Richards - no response
1707 South Hawthorn Lane
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Nancy Ricobene - missing

Ron Riplinger - no response
535 Kimball Avenue
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Charlie Rowe - no response
2409 South Highwood
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Linda Russ - missing

Cathy (Sarelas) Daniels - no response
6211 Amaretto Lane
Tampa, Florida 33615

Ed Schlesser - no response
535 Buckingham Road
Mundelein, Illinois 60060

Jerry Schlosser - missing

Pat Schroeder - missing

Carl Schueler
1401 West Sunset
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Emma (Schwan) DePiero - no response
31600 North Fisher Road
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Steve Schwarz - no response
Box 301
1404 Woodridge Street
Round Lake Beach, Illinois 60073

Chuck Serio
24455 West Cherokee Trail
Grayslake, Illinois 60030

Spouse: Diann
Children: Ray - 10, Rachel - 8

Chuck works as a crew leader for Commonwealth Edison. He enjoys collecting and refinishing antiques. At a time when he is "pushing 40" his family is an extremely important factor in his life.

Wayne Shippee - no response
18912 Righeimer Road
Harvard, Illinois 60084

Mike Skelly - no response
36161 North Douglas Terrace
Gurnee, Illinois 60031

Sue (Slusser) Arndt - no response
107 Siesta Road
Carpentersville, Illinois 60110

Cathy (Smith) Steele - missing

Jim Smith - no response
501 Kenwood
Round Lake Park, Illinois 60073

Sybil (Stefek) Beam - no response
1338 Starling Lane
Lewisville, Texas 75067

Warren Steinbach
932 Reidy Road
Lisle, Illinois 60532

Spouse: Penelope
Children: Miles - 9, Keith - 4

Warren is employed as a data base administrator and his wife Penelope works in data entry. He spends his leisure time teaching CPR and parenting. One of Warren's most interesting experiences was his Hawaiian honeymoon. At 18, he felt that "education" was important and now at almost 40 Warren feels that "family and friends" are what's important. When he talks about high school, Warren likes to tell about "being pulled over by the Wauconda police because they thought Don Boesenberg and he were driving around with a rifle -- it was really a guitar!" Warren best remembers Mr. Prez from school. If he could do it all over again, Warren would "skip shop freshman year -- they never told you what takes two weeks in shop can be done in three minutes with power tools." (Is that right, Dan Wolff??) Warren summarizes the

60's: running into Mark Postl on the train to Chicago and listening as the draft lottery was called. Mark's number was 4, Warren's was #351.
70's: gas lines, paying FICA before end of the year
80's: too much month at the end of the paycheck

Fred Stewart
649C West Park Avenue
Libertyville, Illinois 60048

Children: Justin - 12

Fred is self employed in the construction business. He spends his leisure time bowling, shooting pool, and playing darts. Fred's interesting accomplishments include being Governor of Wauconda Moose Lodge in 1969 and vice commander of the Island Lake American Legion. "Getting a good job" was important to Fred at age 18 and now a "happy home life" is most important. When he talks about high school, Fred likes to tell about he and John Phelps being hung by their shoelaces from the door. The teacher he remembers best is Mr. Hampel. If Fred could do it all over again, he would have "make a career out of the military." Summarizing the

60's: Vietnam war and all the conflict
70's: birth of my son, getting out of the Army
80's: finally getting my life together

John Stiernberg
599 B Washington Street
Wellesley, Massachusettes 02181

Spouse: Jeanne (WHS class of 1968)
Children: none

John married his high school sweetheart Jeanne Broughton who is a speech pathologist. During the years 1974-1981, after graduation from Ripon College in 1973, John worked as a professional musician and "lived like one." The years 1981 to the present found John working in sales and marketing in the professional music industry where he had an opportunity to travel throughout the U.S. and Canada. Today John is a marketing executive. It should be no surprise that in his leisure time, John enjoys music, reading, and museums. At 18 years old, John felt music and golf were important to him. Today "communication" is really what's important. Mr. Reid was a most memorable teacher and John "wouldn't change many aspects" of those years if he had a chance to do it over again. John summarizes the

60's: inquiry and learning
70's: living like a musician
80's: there's a whole big world out there

Linda (Stinson) Hyatt - no response
11974 Quam Drive
Northglenn, Colorado 80236

Jim Summers - missing

Pam (Swanson) Wagner - no response
711 West Paul
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Karen (Syens) Baxter - no response
28 Second Avenue
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Michael C. Taylor, Sr.
Route 3, Box 232
Shawano, Wisconsin 54166

Spouse: Jan
Children: Rachel - 12, Michael, Jr. - 9, Renae - 6, Embre - 3

Mike is the head sawer at a lumber mill and his wife Jan is a student and household coordinator. Mike spends his leisure time taking care of their animals, including 2 goats, 2 dogs, 2 cats, 2 birds, chickens, and rabbits. Mike spent 1-1/2 years in Europe studying ornamental horticulture while in college. At 18 Mike felt that "country" was important, and now the importance is directed to his "family." His best remembered teacher was Mr. Kaphiem. Mike said that if he could do it all over again he would "change a few things I have done, and do some I didn't." In summary

60's: revolutionary period
70's: drug induced fog
80's: serious, spiritually awake

Larry Tegtmeyer - no response
6456 Mockingbird Lane North
Clearwater, Florida 33520

Thomas Templeton
7407 State Park Road
Spring Grove, Illinois 60087

Spouse: Laura
Children: none

Tom is an electrician by trade but spends his"off" time participating in skiing, softball, camping, traveling, and photgraphy. His wife Laura is a secretary.

Jim Tewksbury - no response
235 Washington Street
Glenview, Illinois 60025

Wally Thiede - no response
2250 East Grand
Springfield, Missouri 65802

Randy Thiel - no response
25156 West Bonner Road
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Mary Ellen (Thomas) Perry - no response
355 Mallard Court
Vernon Hills, Illinois 60061

S. Tirado - missing

Darryl Torgerson - no response
933 Camelot Drive
Crystal Lake, Illinois 60014

Bill Usher - missing

Gary Vasey
418-C Country Club Road
Simi Valley, California 93065

Chilldren: Brian - 16, Mandee - 13

Gary is a Director of Field Services. He spends his leisure time playing sports, traveling, and serving as a referee for both high school and youth basketball and football. Gary's interesting experiences include " working and playing hard in the Californiasunshine." However, he does travel back east often enough to bring back the memories. At 18 he felt that "school, girls, and money" were important. At almost 40, Gary feels that "enjoying life (the good life!)" is what's important. When he talks about high school, Gary likes to tell about Senior Ditch Day and the baseball game against Lake Zurich junior year when he hit 2 homeruns, almost 3. Gary best remembers Mr. Sellers (CBS) from high school. If he could do it all over again, Gary would "win the lotto and be a beach bum." He summarizes the

60's: fun, carefree
70's: real world, California, babies
80's: high tech business, California fun

D. Walker - missing

Joyce (White) Hayward
1327 West Renwick Road
Plainfield, Illinois 60544

Spouse: Howard
Children: Rebecca - 20 (stepdaughter), James - 8, Andrew - 4

Joyce is a teacher and her husband Howard is a couselor. Joyce says that she can't remember having any leisure time in the last 8 years! Since receiving her M.A. in Education, Joyce has had the opportunity to be an adjunct faculty member of Lewis University. Joyce felt that at 18 "being a success" was important, while now it is important to "be a part of a healthy, happy family." The teacher she remembers best from high school is Mrs. Cooper and if she could do it over again, Joyce would be a lawyer. She summarizes the

60's: confusion, insecurity, looking to see where I fit
70's: experimenting, finding a place, thinking I knew it all
80's: motherhood, maturity, professionalism

Linda (Winkler) Ravens - no response
12504 Antioch Road
Trevor, Wisconsin 53179

Sandy (Wiser) Keith - no response
8107 205th Avenue
Bristol, Wisconsin 53104

Dan Wolff
235 Helena Drvie
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Jean
Children: none

Dan is still in junior high. That is, he teaches at Wauconda Junior High School in the Industrial Arts Department. He likes to brag about being the Industrial Arts department chairman. Dan loves to spend his leisure time LDT (long distance touring) on his BMW (motorcycle). Dan earned his B.S. degree in education in 1973 and immediately stated to teach in Wauconda. He has completed his M.S. degree as well many post-graduate hours. At 18 years of age, Dan felt that "going to college" was important. When he tells stories about high school, Dan explains how he helped plan senior ditch day and he thinks it was the best WHS ever had. Carl B. Sellers was a most memorable teacher. Dan summarizes the

60's: working, saving money for college
70's: spending money on college
80's: spending money on more college; mine and Jean's

Mary Lou Wright
2806 Limerick Drive
Cary, Illinois 60013

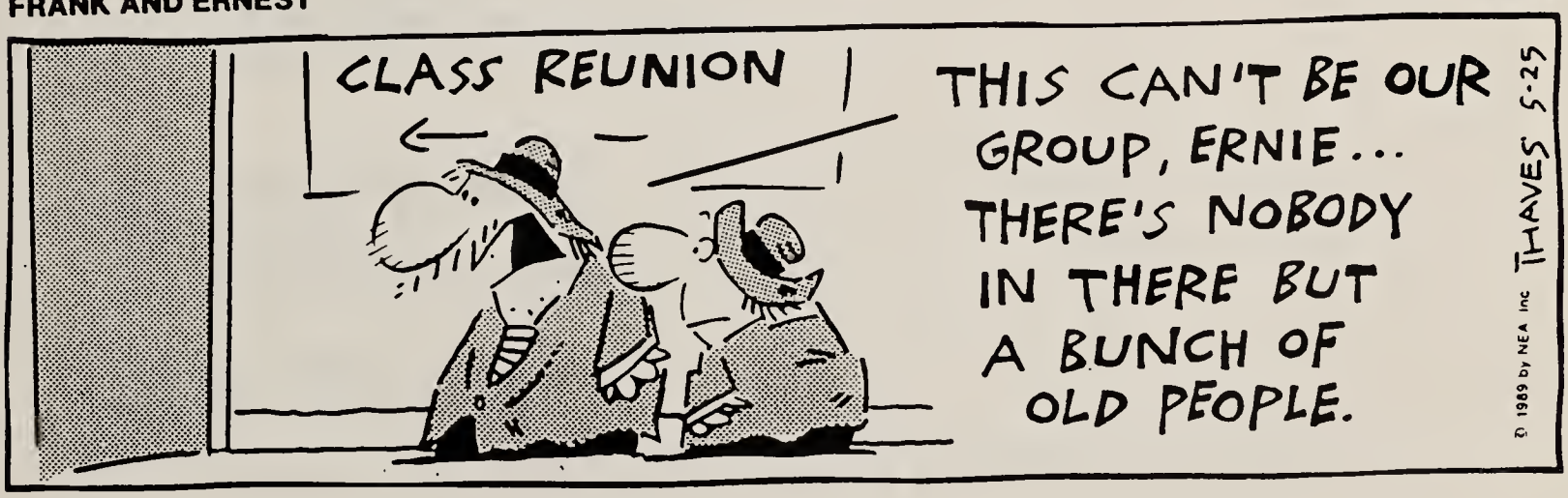
Mary is a successful career woman filling the position of account manager for a commercial printers softwear company. She travels extensively all over the country in that role and loves it. She also enjoys boating and car racing (driving or watching Mary?) .in her spare time. At graduation time a career, marriage, and a family were important. Today her career overrides. Memories of high school include Mrs. Hoover and the events and controversies that surrounded senior ditch day. Given a second chance, Mary would study harder in high school and try to be more serious about education. In summary,

60's: wild, young, free
70's: reserved, restricted
80's: feet on the ground, head on straight with a go-for-it attitude

Bob Ziemke - no response
39122 North Route 59
Lake Villa, Illinois 60046

Ed Zooste - missing

FRANK AND ERNEST **by Bob Thaves**



Better Late Than Never. . . .

Nancy (Dianis) Hanna
8128 Tamar Drive
Columbia, Maryland 21045

Spouse: Robert
Children: Jennifer Mary - 7

Nancy is a Certified Adult Nurse Practitioner and a Nurse Administrator while her husband Robert is an engineer. Any leisure time is spent participating in sports, creating crafts, sewing for herself and her daughter, and traveling around the world. Nancy has organized and personally directed several professional study tours to places such as Scandinavia, Australia, New Zealand, England, and Ireland. She has had several professional articles published as well as a book chapter on cardiovascular nursing. At 18 Nancy felt "going to college" was important to her but now "family and happiness" are high priority. She remembers the homecoming sleepover at the Park District Beach House and all the other activities surrounding senior year homecoming. Mrs. Christiansen was her most memorable teacher and she would "do it again" is she could. In summary. . .

60's: hopeful, fun
70's: adventurous, exciting
80's: harmonizing, invigorating

Linda (Dole) Karrels
218 Route 45
Indian Creek, Illinois 60060

Spouse: Bruce
Children: Jacob - 5

Linda is employed as an office manager at the Pillsbury Company.

Kris (Kampendahl) Lawhorn
818 Sunrise Circle
Muscatine, Iowa 52761

Spouse: Dan
Children: Erika - 11, Amanda - 9, Elizabeth - 7

Kris is an executive assistant for a major insurance company and Dan is an international sales manager for a grain processing corporation. Kris graduated from Eureka College in Monmouth, Illinois in 1973 with a Bachelors Degree in Physical Education with a minor in English. During that time she pursued cheerleading, sports, and basically having a good time. She taught school for several years after college then retired to have babies. Recently she has returned to teaching. Kris is very busy chauffeuring her children to sports practices and meets but does have time to create some crafts, attend classes, and sleep. Civic activites include participating in Welcome Wagon, Salvation Army, Women's Investment Club, and The American Association of University Women. Kris commments on how quickly 20 years have gone by and was amazed how she was able to summarize it in a brief two paragraphs.

Michael Longfield
1 Thornfield
Hawthorn Woods, Illinois 60047

Spouse: Cathy
Children: Erica - 7, Sarah - 13 months

Mike is the vice President of Multiple Concrete and his wife Cathy is a nurse. Mike spends his leisure time involved in baseball and golf. His accomplishments include earning a B.S. degree at the University of Wisconsin at LaCrosse. At 18 Mike felt that "sex" was important and now at almost 40 that has changed to "love." He best remembers Mr. Mueller from high school and if he had it to do over again, Mike would have "studied" harder.

Robert Oaks
220 Lewis Avenue
Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Spouse: Pat
Children: J.C. - 12

Peter Pintozzi
3406 Oakwood Drive
Island Lake, Illinois 60042

Peter has remained loyal to his love of photography. Currently he owns a professional photography business specializing in still commercial advertising and TV. He states that he had an opportunity to photograph President Ronald Regan but was not pleased with the S.S. Pete also still does some acting. He has taken acting classes in New York. One day last August he ended up reading Hamlet with Dustin Hoffman during a Shakespearean class. (Wow !) Pete likes to travel and recently vacationed in Tahiti and Bora Bora. When he was 18 years old, Peter felt "new experience" was important, but now "quality" is important. He tells the story of how he got into photography; broken bones. Miss Mace was a memorable teacher. If he could do it again, Pete would have gone to Carmel simply because of the teachers. (He adds that his classmates were not the reason for this comment.) He summarizes..

60's: feel, look, experiment, experience, don't think twice
70's: take your time, do what's right, think about the future
80's: Vote Republican. It's easier than thinking.

Ed Richards
1707 South Hawthorn
McHenry, Illinois 60050

Spouse: Christine
Children: Ed - 15, Lisa - 10

Ed has been a mason contractor for 12 years and Christine is busy as a secretary and housewife. Ed spends his leisure time fishing, boating, and golfing. His accomplishments include owning his own business. "Money" was important to Ed at 18 and at almost 40 "money" is still important along with "leisure time." He best remembers Mrs. Grove from high school. Ed would have "applied himself academically" if he could do it all over again. In summary...

60's: fun
70's: fun
80's: fun

Karen (Syens) Baxter
28 Second Avenue
Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005

Spouse: Gordon
Children: Terri - 26, Brenda - 25, Karla - 23 (stepdaughters), Tammy - 14

After the souvenir booklet was printed, Karen informs me that she has a granddaughter. We congratulate her for the distinction of being our only known grandmother. She is the manager of the Algonquin Busse Currency Exchange. Her husband Gordon is in charge of inventory at the R.J. Frisby Company. Karen spends her leisure time with her family and doing needlework. Her accomplishments include her 12 years at Multigraphics and now as Manager of the currency exchange. Karen has traveled to Florida and Colorado along with two visits from the FBI. (What did you do, Karen?) At 18 Karen felt that "money, a nice car, and a new home" were important. At almost 40, "family and personal happiness" are what's really important. When Karen talks about high school, she likes to tell stories from Drivers Education with Mr. Gallivan. Karen best remembers Miss Mace and "Bird Legs" Brady. If she could do it all over again, Karen would have taken Spanish and maybe attended college. She summarizes the past 30 years...

60's: I thought these were my best years.
70's: Birth of my child. Then, these were the best years."
80's: two daughters weddings, the loss of my father, my first grandchild. Now, these are the best.